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Young-Hill Liew Appointed as a Nongovernmental Member of the National IP Committee

On July 28, 2011, Yulchon's Young-Hill Liew (head of IP Practice Group) was appointed by the President as one of nongovernmental members (IP experts) of the National IP Committee, which has been established under the Framework Act on Intellectual Property. The National IP Committee is co-headed by the Prime Minister and Samsung Electronics' former Vice Chairman, Jong Yong Yun and consists of 10 ministers and 18 nongovernmental members who are experts in the IP field. For the group of 18 private IP experts, only 2 lawyers have been chosen as members.

The Framework Act on Intellectual Property intends to promote creation of superior intellectual property, provide effective and stable protection of IP rights, promote fair and reasonable use of IP rights, create a social environment which respects IP rights, and to harmonize domestic and international rules concerning IP rights. The National IP Committee will act as the control tower to guide Korea towards achieving these objectives.

We congratulate Young-Hill Liew for his appointment and wish him the best in his role as a committee member.

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